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## SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Further to the Information Disclosure Statement filed July 31, 2006 in the above-identified application, Applicants respectfully direct the Examiner's attention to the documents listed below and on the attached Form PTO-1449. A copy of each document so listed is enclosed.

JP 7-11819 JP 10-11543

These documents were mentioned in the specification of the aboveidentified application. In this regard, JP 7-11819 has since issued as a patent but an English-language abstract therefor is not available. Therefore, a copy of an English-language abstract for JP 63-000778, the published application for JP 7-11819, is enclosed.

Inasmuch as the subject application has not yet received a first Office Action, it is believed that this Information Disclosure Statement is timely. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(3). Accordingly, the Examiner is urged to study this information in its entirety and to form an independent determination of the materiality of the information to the claimed invention. Additionally, the Examiner is requested to indicate that this information has been considered by initialing and returning a copy of the attached Form PTO-1449.

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